

Free Europe Committee, Inc.

MEMORANDUM

Date: September 29, 1961

To: Executive Committee

Reference:

From: Director of Security

Subject: HOLUBNYCHY, Vasvolod

Captioned subject was recently under consideration by the Communist Bloc Operations Dept., (CBO) in New York for employment as Senior Editor, East Europe magazine.

The usual preliminary check was made with the E.C. in this case and this office was subsequently informed on September 27, 1961, that preliminary approval could not be granted for subject's use due to certain information already on file. This office was further informed that it would be necessary that the information on file be checked before a final decision could be granted and Mr. George Minden of the DBO Dept. was so advised.

This office has now been informed that subject is no longer being considered for the editorial position in the above-mentioned Department.

There is enclosed herewith copy of Personal History Statement of subject dated September 17, 1961, along with copy of resume prepared by him and a selected list of his writings and publications as of September, 1961. In this regard, you will note that in his resume, HOLUBNYCHY indicates that he has been used as a free lance writer for Radio Liberation in New York during 1961. In view of this information and that he was disapproved preliminarily at least, for employment with FEC, it is felt by this office that this should be brought to your attention.

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